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A LONELY OLD AGE.

Aged 80 Years, She Is in House of Correction.

Rutland, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Mary Todd, age 80 years, who was sentenced to the house of correction last March, after having been declared guilty of the crime of destroying, by fire, the farmhouse and two barns of Bela Churchill of Chittenden, spends each day and night in her cell, sewing or reading, and keeps aloof from the other women prisoners. She evidently does not care to associate with them, but takes her meals at the same time as the others.

There is nothing about the appearance of this prisoner to indicate the criminal. She might easily be taken in any other place, for some venerable woman of wealth and refinement, with sweet face and sunny smile, who had lived her three score and ten, and awaited the approaching sunset in the evening of life, to lay down her work forever, with no misgivings or regrets.

A bit of homely pathos is interwoven with her lonely existence, from day to day, in her tiny cell. Since the death of her husband she has become forlorn and disconsolate. Her desire to live is probably surpassed by her greater inclination to put aside all earthly toil and, lying down, pass into that sleep which knows not the awakening here below. Her Christmas and Thanksgiving observances are likely to be sad and cheerless, unless some one, moved to compassion, resolves to do some little thing to make her hours of weariness contain a ray of sunlight that will touch the heart chords and cause them to respond to the melody of "A little act of kindness, makes the whole world kin."

TOOK A DARE TO WED.

Prominent Chicago Couple Married in a Restaurant.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 24.—Miss Louise Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mills, and Jesse Whitehead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha P. Whitehead, were married Wednesday under romantic circumstances at a downtown restaurant.

On the day previous they became engaged, and announced their betrothal during the course of a luncheon with several friends at the same cafe. Some one dared them to marry Wednesday, and they accepted the suggestion. In the presence of four witnesses, all chums of the young people, they were wedded by the Rev. John Archibald Morrison, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Following the ceremony in the restaurant, the wedding party enjoyed a dinner, after which Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead left for New York and other points on a brief honeymoon trip.

The bride and groom are both 21 years old and have known each other for about two years. Mr. Whitehead is a grandson of the late George Laflin, who died nearly two years ago, leaving an estate of several million dollars.

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HE ACCUSES BURTON

Former President of Fraudulent Concerns Tells of

TALK WITH SENATOR

Deal with Post Office Department — Introduced as the Man Who Had Prevented Issuance of Fraud Order, Witness Declares.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 24.—The first witness yesterday in the trial of United States Senator Burton of Kansas, charged with using his influence before the postoffice department as a paid attorney for a corporation, was Hector C. McRea, former controller of the Rialto Grain & Securities Company. He testified that he was introduced to Senator Burton in the office of Vice President Mahoney of the Rialto company March 26, 1903, and was told by Mahoney that the senator had severed his connection with the company.

Witness said Mahoney told him Senator Burton had been paid to date, and that, as everything had been cleaned up in the postoffice department, the senator felt he was not earning his fees.

Mr. McRea testified that Senator Burton had made the following statement in his presence:

"Before leaving Washington, I (Senator Burton) visited the department, and there learned that there were no complaints against the Rialto company." The government introduced Charles M. Brooks, former president of the company which was the predecessor of the Rialto company, and former president of the National Securities Company.

Brooks testified that at a conference between Senator Burton, A. H. Kaster and himself, Senator Burton was first introduced by Kaster, who said the senator was willing to represent the National company, Brooks said he did not see how the senator could be of any use to him.

"Kaster replied," continued the witness, "Here is the man (pointing to Burton) who defeated your fight against Maj. Dennis, president of the Rialto company, by preventing the issue of a fraud order by the postoffice department." "I replied that in that case it might be well to employ Senator Burton, as Kaster assured me that all speculative companies in St. Louis were under investigation and that trouble might be made for me."

"There was some general discussion between myself and Senator Burton as to terms and other matters, but no definite arrangement was reached."

The government brought out the fact that Brooks was now awaiting a decision of the court of appeals of conducting a scheme to defraud in connection with the National Securities Company.

The government asked permission to introduce one additional witness upon his arrival in the city, and with this exception, Col. Dyer announced that the prosecution had completed its case.

Atty. General Linnell objected, but Judge Van Dewater ruled that if the witness was on hand at the reconvening of court at 2 p. m., he could be heard, but at that hour the defense should begin.

ELECTIONS INSPECTOR ARRESTED IN NEW YORK

Tammany Member from 9th Assembly District Held in \$5,000 Bail Till Monday.

New York, Nov. 24.—Frank D. Batzing, Tammany member of the board of election inspectors in the 9th election district of the 9th assembly district, was arrested yesterday on charge of neglect of duty, in improperly treating challenged and protested ballots. The maximum penalty for the section of the penal code under which the complaint is drawn is three years imprisonment and \$3,000 fine. Batzing was held in \$5,000 bail for pleading next Monday. The other three members of the election board in the 9th are similarly indicted with Batzing, but have not yet been arrested.

TO DINE "SMASHERS."

Jerome, Johnson and Weaver as Gotham Club's Guests.

New York, Nov. 24.—The greatest aggregation of "ring smashers" the country has ever seen together will dine at the City Club next Tuesday evening as guests of that institution.

William Travers Jerome, of New York; Tom L. Johnson, mayor of Cleveland; Everett Colby, state senator-elect from Essex county, New Jersey, and John Weaver, mayor of Philadelphia, will preside and invitations have been extended to various leaders in movements for political independence throughout the East.

SILK THIEVES CAUGHT.

Goods Valued at \$10,000 Are Recovered in New York.

New York, Nov. 24.—Silks to the value of \$10,000 were stolen from the William Skinner Manufacturing company of Green and Bleeker streets on Monday afternoon. A truck drove up to the establishment and took aboard six cases of silks destined for the Chicago branch and to Robert Wicks of Utica, N. Y. The truck failed to return to the stables and an alarm was sent out.

The police Wednesday night arrested Leonard Raymond, who was found engaged in breaking up the cases in which the silks had been packed; Mrs. Tillie Lesser, who admitted she had bought \$2,000 worth of the goods for \$250, and Barney Funkin and Morris Meyerfine, who said they had paid \$600 for \$8,000 of silks. The driver of the truck, Charles Remenuella, has not yet been arrested.

Facing Starvation

Perhaps you find yourself in a position where you have given up all hope of ever enjoying a hearty meal without having to pay a penalty.

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"I want everyone to know how Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets helped me. I suffered with stomach trouble for two years, and was in a terrible condition. I had lost thirty pounds in weight and looked twenty years older than I am. I was half starved, for nothing that I ate seemed to give me strength. A friend told me of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, and after taking three boxes, I believe I am cured. I can eat anything without the least discomfort; my complexion has become clear and I am rapidly gaining flesh.—Mrs. M. J. SEVANSOON, Minneapolis, Minn."

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MUTUAL RESERVE ON THE RACK

Hughes in Insurance Inquiry Asks Pointed Questions as to the Rates — Change in Assessments.

New York, Nov. 24.—Gerald R. Brown, head of the bond and mortgage department of the Equitable, was on the stand again yesterday before the legislative insurance committee to tell of the expenses incurred in keeping the society's building clean and in order. Brown said that twenty-eight men were employed by the society, which paid out \$1,280 a month for their services, and forty-six women were employed and were paid \$693 each month. The witness said that the building could not be kept clean for any less money than was expended for the purpose. Brown was excused.

George B. Eldridge, vice president and actuary of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company, was the next witness. Mr. Eldridge said the company was founded in 1881 for the purpose of doing a first mortgage assessment insurance business. Until 1902, the witness said, the company made no definite promise as to the amount it would pay on policies. After that a definite face value form of policy was issued.

Mr. Eldridge admitted that in 1895 the company, in order to meet its obligations, was compelled to raise the rate of assessment to one-half the difference of the age at the time the policy was taken out, and the attained age. Failing being again, the company increased the assessment to that of the attained age.

"To illustrate," said Mr. Hughes, "if a man took out a policy in 1895 at the age of twenty-five years, he paid at the rate of \$1 a thousand, and in 1896, when the rate was increased to one-half the difference between the age at the time of the policy was taken and the attained age, he paid \$1.12 a thousand, and in 1898, when the assessment rate was increased to that of the attained age, he paid \$1.48 a thousand. Now what authority did you have for making the increase in the assessment?"

Eldridge gazed at the policy form and finally said: "I find here the words, 'the dues shall be fixed according to the table hereto attached.'"

"Is that your authority?"

"Yes."

Mr. Hughes did not pursue this line of inquiry further, but more will be heard of this later.

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EAGLES WERE GOOD.

Took Three Straight Strings from the Capitals.

The Capitals of Montpelier lost three straight strings to the Eagles of this city, in an intercity league game at Dwyer's Montpelier alleys, last evening. It would have taken an exceptionally good team to take a single string from the Eagles at the rate they were bowling last evening. Their strings were all over 300 and their total was 2,691. Dwyer held high single string, 214, also high three string total of 576.

EAGLES.

Dwyer 174 188 214—576
McDonald 164 168 179—511
Brown 183 181 137—501
Batchelder 172 196 181—549
Averill 193 158 213—564

TOTALS.

886 861 914—2691

CAPITALS.

Kellogg 155 178 156—489
Marquette 131 142 159—432
B. Bolton 138 159 174—471
E. Fisher 140 148 129—417
Gill 208 142 184—534

TOTALS.

772 769 802—2343

THEY WORKEE HARD AND GOT TWO DOLLARS

Robbers Break Into Greensboro Bend Railroad Station, Put Safe on Hand Car and Later Drill Hole in It.

Hardwick, Nov. 24.—Sometime during the night Tuesday, burglars gained entrance into the station at Greensboro Bend by breaking a light of glass in the door facing the railroad, smashed the panels out of the inner office door, then pried it open with a "bridgman's" bar, and probably with the same instrument the money drawer in the office was forced open and about \$2.00 in change and two mileage books taken. Their attention was then given the American Express company's safe, which is small, and this was carried out of a back door which they unbolted from the inside. The safe was loaded on to a hand-car secured in the station house near by.

The burglary was discovered by Agent Judd when he arrived at the station at 6.30 Wednesday morning and investigation followed. After considerable search the car and safe were found early in the forenoon along side the railroad, about two miles this side of the Bend, near John Hancock's farm. A hole was broken into the top of the safe, apparently with the same bar used at the station, but no booty was obtained. The agent had taken the cash home with him the night before. American Express money order books and other papers in the safe were found intact.

Deputy Sheriff Jackson of Greensboro Deputy Worthen, and Chief of Police Harvey Noyes of St. Johnsbury and the American Express company's auditor were investigating the matter yesterday but found no clue to who the burglars were.

Tagliabue-Hapgood.

Friends in Vermont have received announcement of the marriage of Miss Ethel Tagliabue and Herbert J. Hapgood, both of Brooklyn, which took place in Brooklyn, Nov. 10th. The Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, of Plymouth church, officiated.

Mr. Hapgood formerly lived in Peru, Vt., and is well known throughout the state through his frequent visits here. He is a nephew of Representative M. J. Hapgood of Peru. After his graduation from Dartmouth College in 1896 Mr. Hapgood entered the shoe business and in 1902 he organized and became president of Hapgoods, Inc., with which he is still connected and of which he has made a great success.

On Nov. 18th, Mr. and Mrs. Hapgood sailed from New York to pass several months in England and on the Continent. During his absence Mr. Hapgood will give considerable attention to the main European office of Hapgoods which is located in London.

A RECEIVER IS ASKED

For the Milford, Mass., Pink Granite Quarries Co.

NORCROSS IS CHARGED

Petitioners Are the Franklin Trust Co., Trustee Under Mortgage, and Victor I. Comstock, a New York Stockholder.

Boston, Nov. 24.—In an intervening petition in which he joins with the Franklin Trust Company of Brooklyn, N. Y., in its prayer for the appointment of a receiver by the United States circuit court, to take charge of the property of the Milford Pink Granite Quarries at Milford, Mass., with authority to continue the business, Victor I. Comstock of New York, a director of the company, alleges that Orlando W. Norcross of Worcester, the well known builder, contracted, in behalf of the Norcross Bros. Company, to deliver to the Pennsylvania, New York & Long Island Railroad Company granite necessary for its terminal for \$1,425,000, and that at about the same time he executed a contract between the former company and the Milford Pink Granite Quarries for the same quantity of stone to be delivered at the same place for \$1,254,450. The difference is \$170,000 in favor of the contract between the Norcross Bros. Company and the railroad company. Mr. Norcross is president of both companies.

By reason of this contract, the petitioner says, it became necessary for the respondent corporation to enlarge its plant and provide for more machinery and tracks, with the result that the assets, resources and credit have been so far depleted that the corporation is now without resources to provide for its assets or borrow from its credits sufficient money to pay the weekly pay rolls from time to time.

The intervening petitioner joins with the original petitioner, the Franklin Trust Company, in asserting that the respondent company, the Milford Pink Granite Quarries, is entitled to the proceeds and profits from the contract between the Norcross Bros. Company and the Philadelphia, Long Island & New York Railroad Company.

The petitioner sets forth that he is the owner of 800 shares of the stock of the Milford Pink Granite Quarries and was one of the active forces in bringing about the organization of this corporation, which has extensive interests in the Milford quarries. John L. Hall appears for him.

The suit of the Franklin Trust Company is against both the Milford Pink Granite Quarries and Orlando W. Norcross. Appearances have been entered for the respondents by Smith, Gage & Dresser of Worcester.

The matter is likely to come up to day when counsel will make a further effort to secure the appointment of a receiver.

Mr. O. W. Norcross of the firm of Norcross Bros., and president of the Milford Pink Granite Quarries, was in Worcester yesterday morning, where the head office of the Norcross Bros. Company is located. At his office nothing could be learned as to the affairs of the Milford company, or whether a receivership would be necessary.

The petition for a receivership which was filed Wednesday in the United States circuit court named as respondents, besides the Milford Pink Quarries, O. W. Norcross and the firm of Norcross Bros.

It alleges that on March 22, 1905, in consideration of a mortgage for \$350,000, the Franklin Trust Company of Brooklyn was made trustee of the property of the corporation, also that according to the terms of the agreement there was an issue of mortgage bonds to the amount of the mortgage, the bonds being for \$1,000 in United States gold coin and with interest at 6 per cent.

It is alleged that the company agreed to keep in repair and maintain its various properties and that the complainant believes that the respondent company is without sufficient cash capital.

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surplus or quick assets for carrying on its business.

It is also stated that the firm has a weekly pay roll of above \$15,000 and that in the event of the inability of the firm to meet the employees, who are all skilled artisans, would quit work and go elsewhere in search of employment, thereby causing a great loss to the company. It is alleged that certain officers of the company have said that they did not know where the money for future pay rolls was to come from.

Another allegation of the petition states that the respondent has several big contracts on its hands which it is under a penalty to perform and the failure to perform which would cause a loss.

It is alleged, also, that there is a contract between the Milford Pink Quarries and Norcross Bros. in the matter of the Pennsylvania, New York & Long Island railroad contracts, from which benefits are alleged to accrue to Norcross Bros. and the Pennsylvania, New York & Long Island railroad which should of right belong to the Milford Pink Quarries.

The petition also contains the allegation that the respondent company is largely in the hands of O. W. Norcross and that the complainant believes that he has made contracts for the company which have not been beneficial.

NEW MAINE GRANITE QUARRY.

Large Deposit of White and Pink Varieties to Be Developed.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 24.—Samuel Batchelder of Bangor has uncovered on his land in the town of Prospect an immense deposit of white and pink granite, estimated at several millions of cubic feet. The quarry, which is soon to be developed, is located only half a mile from tidewater in the Penobscot river, which seldom freezes at this point, and the stone can be transported to the water by means of a gravity tramway.

Who Will Claim Them?

Letters remaining uncalled for at the Barre post office for the week ending November 24, 1905, are as follows:

Men.—Henry Aditt, J. W. Alexander, C. H. Carpenter, Eugene Car (2), E. B. Cleveland, Wm. Carter, Isaac J. J. Fraser, Jose Gomez, H. H. Hones, Robt Johnston, Charlie Momdock, Frank Mishey, Joe Marks, J. Payne, Leon Perkins, Frank Rossi, Frank Russell, Jas. W. Rodgers, Antonio Salvador, John Smith, Albert Young.

Women.—Bessie Batchelder, Mrs. E. D. Cilley, Gertrude Church (2), Miss J. M. Conitt, Mrs. Conland, Mary Connolly, Mrs. Eva Perkins, Mrs. Annie Rumrill, Mrs. Wm. Stephen, Mrs. M. Tiffa (2), Della Wilder, Janet Whalen (2).

NO BLAME TO INSTITUTION.

Waterbury Asylum Absolved from Responsibility in Durant Case.

Montpelier, Nov. 24.—The state supervisors of the insane, who have concluded their investigation of the death of Peter Durant at the state hospital for the insane at Waterbury, have made public their findings. They completely exonerate the hospital management of all blame for the affair.

They find that Durant was admitted October 18, having been adjudged insane by two reputable physicians of Middlebury. Upon examination the patient was found to be in a good physical condition. He was taken ill November 1, suffering from pains in his chest, and was treated. Later a council of doctors, part of them from outside the hospital, was called. Durant died November 4 and an autopsy showed a fracture of the sternum and two ribs, and injuries to the chest. A history of the trouble of October 31 was given, it being shown that the patient was restless and troublesome and that he had an altercation with attendants Dennis and Coon.

The superintendent, Dr. Don D. Groat, is upheld in causing the arrest of Dennis and Coon, and the hospital management is exonerated of blame in connection with the unfortunate affair.

BIG STRIKE IMMINENT.

Housesmiths' Trouble May Yet Affect 70,000 Men.

New York, Nov. 24.—Employment of non-union men in the places of 6,000 striking housesmiths, and a general lock-out, which are now threatening, will be followed by a strike of national proportions, in which at least 70,000 men will become involved. The war will be made on the Iron League, the association of employers in the structural iron industry. Not only will work on all big new buildings in this city stop, but many large contracts throughout the country will be affected.

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18-Year-Old Youth "Manufactures" Weed Contrary to Nebraska Law.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 24.—Patrick Raymond, eighteen years old, was arrested Wednesday while lighting a cigarette, which he had just rolled for his own use in the presence of a city detective. He was fined \$50 and costs. This is the lightest penalty prescribed by the law for "manufacturing" cigarettes.

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